International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
1818 H Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20433
United States of America

Re: Loan Nº 8302-BR
(Operation to Strengthen Service Delivery for Growth, Poverty Reduction and
Environmental Sustainability in the State of Ceará - Projeto de Apoio ao Crescimento
Econômico com Redução das Desigualdades e Sustentabilidade Ambiental do Estado
do Ceará – PforR Ceará)
Article VI of the General Conditions
Financial and Economic Data

Dear Sirs and Mesdames:

In connection with the Loan Agreement of this date between International Bank for
Reconstruction and Development (Bank) and the State of Ceará providing a loan (Loan)
for the above-captioned Project, the related Guarantee Agreement of same date between
the Federative Republic of Brazil (Member Country) and the Bank, and the General
Conditions (General Conditions) made applicable to the Loan Agreement and Guarantee
Agreement, I am writing on behalf of the Member Country to set forth the following:

1. We understand and agree that, for purposes of Section 6.01 of the General
Conditions, the Member Country is required by the Bank to report “long-term external
debt” (as defined in the World Bank’s Debtor Reporting System Manual, dated January
2000 (DRSM)), in accordance with the DRSM, and in particular, to notify the Bank of new
“loan commitments” (as defined in the DRSM) not later than 30 days after the end of the
quarter during which the debt is incurred, and to notify the Bank of “transactions under
loans” (as defined in the DRSM) once a year, not later than March 31 of the year following
the year covered by the report.

2. We represent that, except as otherwise notified to the Bank, no Liens (as defined in
the General Conditions), other than those excluded pursuant to paragraph (c) of Section
6.02 of the General Conditions, exist on any Public Assets (as defined in the General
Conditions), as security for any External Debt (as defined in the General Conditions).
Except as otherwise notified to the Bank, no defaults exist in respect of any external public
debt (as defined in the DSRM). It is our understanding that, in making the Loan, the Bank
may rely on the representations set forth or referred to in this letter.
3. Please confirm your agreement to the foregoing by having a duly authorized representative of the Bank sign in the space provided below.

Very truly yours,

FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL

By

Authorized Representative

AGREED:

INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR
RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT

By

Authorized Representative